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ARTICHOKE LOG

1.

indicated that [redacted] was not in favor of a general meeting at this time, and particularly one bringing [redacted] together. [redacted] asked that [redacted] inquire from [redacted] if he would meet with [redacted] and discuss the matter (this is essential if CIA is to benefit by research essential to CIA's mission and if we are to avoid duplication of effort). [redacted] agreed and called back later to advise that [redacted] is in favor of bringing [redacted] and [redacted] together. [redacted] is primarily concerned about the security aspects of the matter but is willing to coordinate with CIA. He is obviously not interested in coordination with the [redacted] program at this time.

2. Discussions with [redacted] resulted in:

a. Statement by [redacted] that he is about through there and changes now taking place will result in his resignation in 3-6 months.

b. He is ready to initiate research projects under [redacted] cover for CIA. CIA to name the organizations and places and [redacted] will O.K. them and provide innocuous statement in [redacted] program. Will start projects on [redacted] verbal request. Transfer of funds no problem in small amounts ([redacted] to investigate and advise [redacted]).

c. [redacted] will head up CIA program if we wish. Cannot devote too much time to it now but with good "action" man in CIA it might work. [redacted] to check back.

3. Discussions with [redacted]

impressed with [redacted] was one year ahead of [redacted] will discuss with DCI and may call [redacted] for permission to approach [redacted] left brief statement of duties which would make [redacted] of CIA with authority over all medical support and medical intelligence activities in CIA. Meeting with [redacted] was timely because he was preparing for final conversations with DCI to set up [redacted] in same position as that suggested for [redacted] seemed pleased at the possibility of an alternate.

4. Called [redacted]

who has relieved [redacted] Liaison officer. [redacted] will set up meeting for [redacted] with [redacted] project. Meeting to be this week if possible.